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RYKER'S ISLAND MAXIMUM SECURITY PENITENTIARY.
MANY YEARS AGO
WARDEN MOSLEY, I PRESENT TO YOU ONE WILSON FISK.
ENFORCER FOR THE RIGOLETTO CRIME FAMILY.
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YOUR REPUTATION PRECEDES YOU, BUT I THINK YOU'LL FIND I AM ACCOMMODATING TO THOSE WHO RESPECT MY HOME.
WE RUN A STRICT BUT FAIR ESTABLISHMENT, MISTER FISK.
ASK AROUND ABOUT ME.

SIT DOWN
WHEN SHOTS ARE FIRED
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RYKER'S ISLAND
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HEY, FISK.
SMALL HANDS. IT HAS BEEN-- WHAT?
THAT AIN'T WHAT THEY *CALL ME* IN HERE.
THEY FIND SOMETHING SMALLER ON YOU?
CAME HERE TO OFFICIALLY WELCOME YA TO HELL.
SEE, FISK, RIGOLETTO'S NAME DON'T MEAN EVEN CLOSE TO JACK %$#& IN HERE.
OUTSIDE, YOU MIGHT BE A BIG MOB ENFORCER, BUT IN HERE, YOU ANSWER TO PEOPLE.
AND YOU HAVE A *LOT* TO ANSWER FOR, YOU FAT-FINGERED &#%$.
YOU GOT QUITE A LIST OF PEOPLE LININ' UP TO TALK TO YOU, BIG BOY.
YOUR ITALIAN SUGAR DADDY CAN'T HELP YOU NOW, CHUBBY BUBBY.

CCRRUNCH
HATE
CREEP
GYAARRGGH!
HATE
CREEP
HOOOOOO!
AW DAMN, THAT AIN'T RIGHT!
ZZAATTZZTT
HATE
I DIDN'T DOOOAAWAAAGGH!!!

ONE MONTH LATER.
MORALES, YER ROOMMATE'S HERE.
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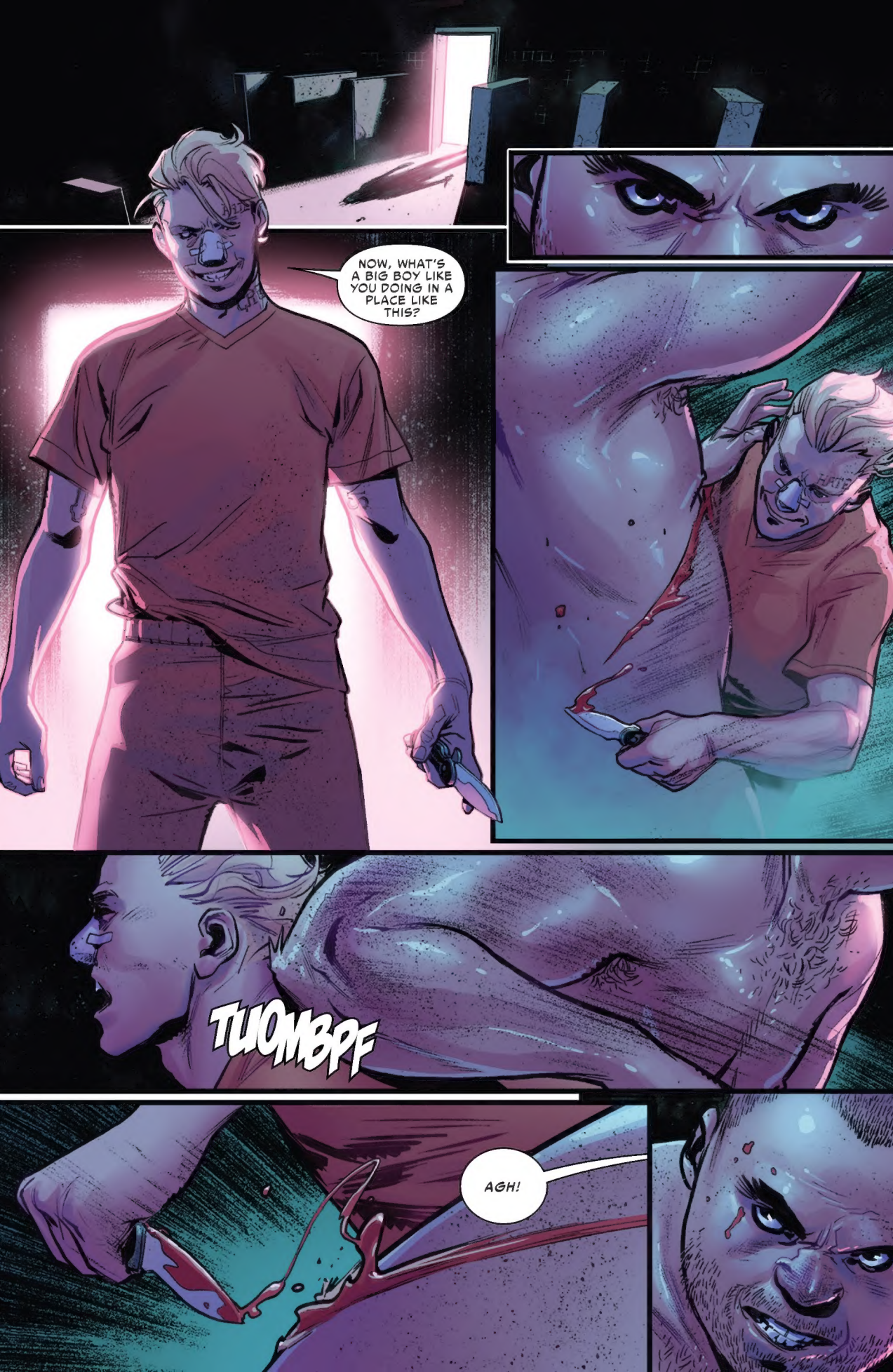
HE'S FRESH OUT OF SOLITARY, SO HE IS *RIPE!*
I'M SURE YOU TWO WILL LIVE HAPPILY EVER AFTER.
MILES MORALES.
WILSON FISK, THE UNDERTAKER.
I'M HERE WITH A MESSAGE FROM DON RIGOLETTO.
HE KNOWS YOU'RE IN HERE TO COVER FOR YOUR COUSIN.
AND BY DOING SO YOU'VE DONE A HUGE FAVOR TO THE RIGOLETTO FAMILY.
HE WANTS YOU TO KNOW HE APPRECIATES IT AND THERE WILL BE COMPENSATION ON THE OTHER SIDE.
BUT, IN THE MEANTIME, I WILL KEEP AN EYE ON YOU.
YOU'RE-- YOU'RE IN HERE FOR ME?

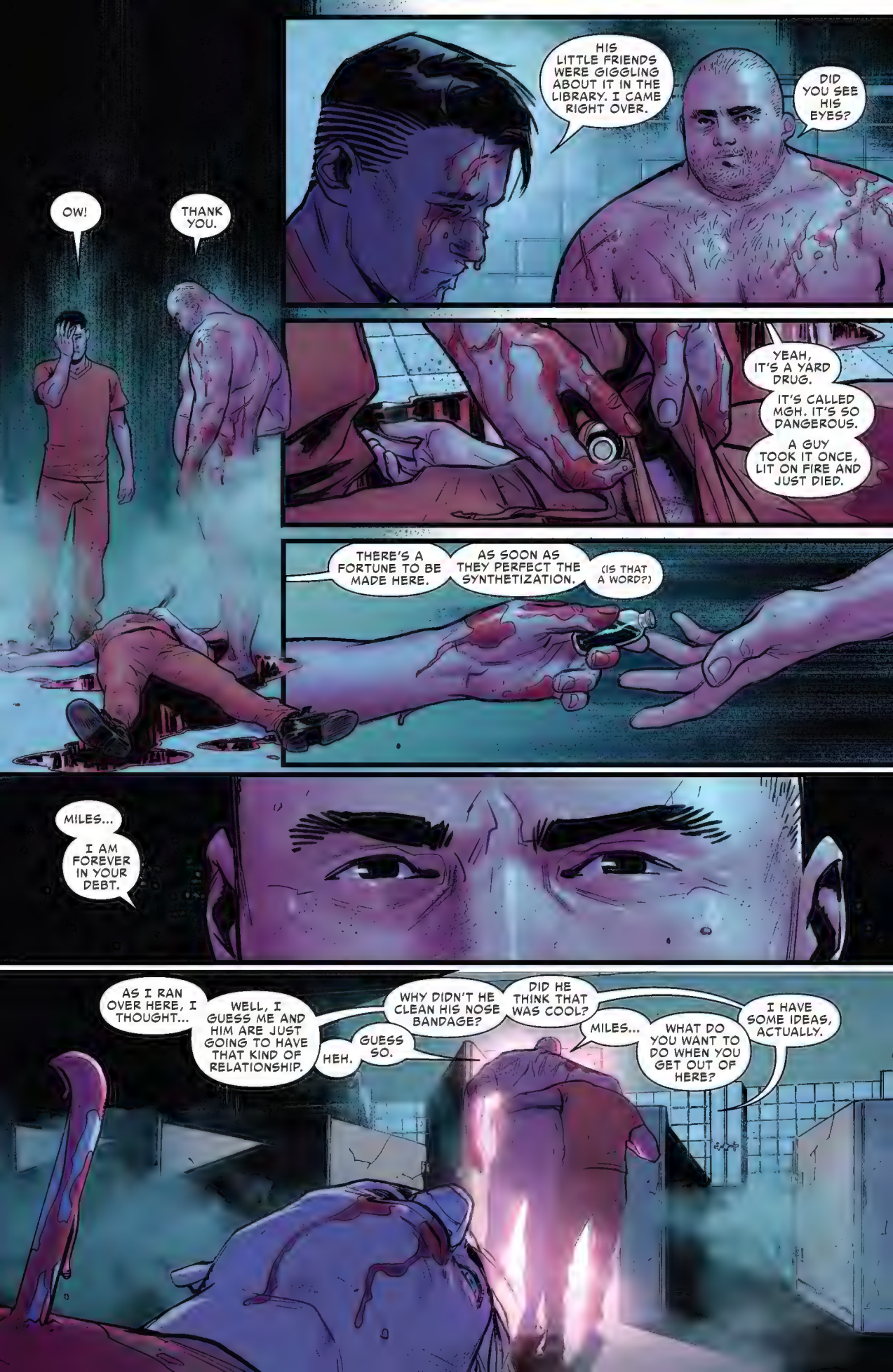
YES.
I NEEDED TO DO A SHORT STAY FOR PAPERWORK AND THIS WAS A GOOD WAY TO GET TO YOU.
THE DON WILL BE GETTING US BOTH OUT OF HERE BY THE END OF NEXT WEEK.
WHAT? I HAVE THREE YEARS LEFT.
THERE MAY HAVE BEEN SOME MISHANDLED EVIDENCE IN YOUR CASE THAT MAKES THE VERDICT MOOT.
WHAT?
ALSO, THE D.A.'S HAVING AN AFFAIR AND WE HAVE PICTURES.
EITHER WAY, MISTER MORALES, IT'S JUST A MATTER OF PAPERWORK.
OBVIOUSLY, DISCRETION AMONG YOUR PEERS IS SUGGESTED.
OKAY, WELL, THAT MAKES WHAT I HAVE TO SAY A *BIT* HARDER... IN A WAY.
BUT I'VE THOUGHT ABOUT THIS...
IF THE ROLES WERE REVERSED, EVEN THOUGH I DON'T KNOW YOU AT ALL, I WOULD WANT YOU TO TELL ME WHAT I HAVE TO TELL YOU NOW.
SMALL HANDS.
HE GAVE ME A COUPLE A' GRAND TO KILL YOU IN YOUR SLEEP.
HERE.
THE GUY IS NOT A FAN.
HE'S UPSET BECAUSE HIS COUSIN DISAPPEARED LAST MONTH.
HE THINKS IT WAS US. KEEP IT.
I DON'T WANT IT.
I ACCEPT THE GESTURE AND WHAT IT MEANS.
RIGOLETTO WOULD WANT YOU TO HAVE IT IN GOOD FAITH.
WHAT DO WE DO NOW?

WE WAIT FOR THE CALL.
I'M HARDLY WORRIED ABOUT IT.
BUT EVEN IF IT AIN'T ME THAT STICKS YA, IT'S GONNA BE SOMEONE.
SMALL HANDS IS HORNY FOR YOUR HEAD.
SO...
THIS IS PRISON.


NOW, WHAT'S A BIG BOY LIKE YOU DOING IN A PLACE LIKE THIS?
THUMBPF
AGH!

SMACK
HPUAASH!
FUMP
OW!
DAMN IT!
SLICCE
SLICCE
SLICCE
AGH!
SO FAST-- YOU HAVE POWERS?!
OH, I WAS READY FOR YOUR FAT ASS.

STLLT
YOU OKAY?
AAGGH!
@#$%!!!
$&%#!!!
CHHK


OW!
THANK YOU.
HIS LITTLE FRIENDS WERE GIGGLING ABOUT IT IN THE LIBRARY. I CAME RIGHT OVER.
DID YOU SEE HIS EYES?
YEAH, IT'S A YARD DRUG.
IT'S CALLED MGH. IT'S SO DANGEROUS.
A GUY TOOK IT ONCE, LIT ON FIRE AND JUST DIED.
THERE'S A FORTUNE TO BE MADE HERE.
AS SOON AS THEY PERFECT THE SYNTHETIZATION.
(IS THAT A WORD?)
MILES...
I AM FOREVER IN YOUR DEBT.
AS I RAN OVER HERE, I THOUGHT...
WELL, I GUESS ME AND HIM ARE JUST GOING TO HAVE THAT KIND OF RELATIONSHIP.
HEH.
GUESS SO.
WHY DIDN'T HE CLEAN HIS NOSE BANDAGE?
DID HE THINK THAT WAS COOL?
MILES...
WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO WHEN YOU GET OUT OF HERE?
I HAVE SOME IDEAS, ACTUALLY.

WHEN PETER PARKER WAS BITTEN BY A RADIOACTIVE SPIDER, HE GAINED THE PROPORTIONAL SPEED, STRENGTH AND AGILITY OF A SPIDER; ADHESIVE FINGERTIPS AND TOES; AND THE UNIQUE PRECOGNITIVE AWARENESS OF DANGER CALLED "SPIDER-SENSE"! AFTER LEARNING THAT WITH GREAT POWER THERE MUST ALSO COME GREAT RESPONSIBILITY, HE BECAME THE CRIMEFIGHTING SUPER HERO CALLED...

The AMAZING SPIDER-MAN

IN A DIMENSION VERY MUCH LIKE OURS, MILES MORALES WAS BITTEN BY A STOLEN, GENETICALLY ALTERED SPIDER THAT GRANTED HIM INCREDIBLE ARACHNID-LIKE POWERS. WHEN THAT DIMENSION'S PETER PARKER WAS KILLED BY THE GREEN GOBLIN, MILES CHOSE TO DEDICATE HIS LIFE TO THE LEGACY OF SPIDER-MAN AND BECAME...

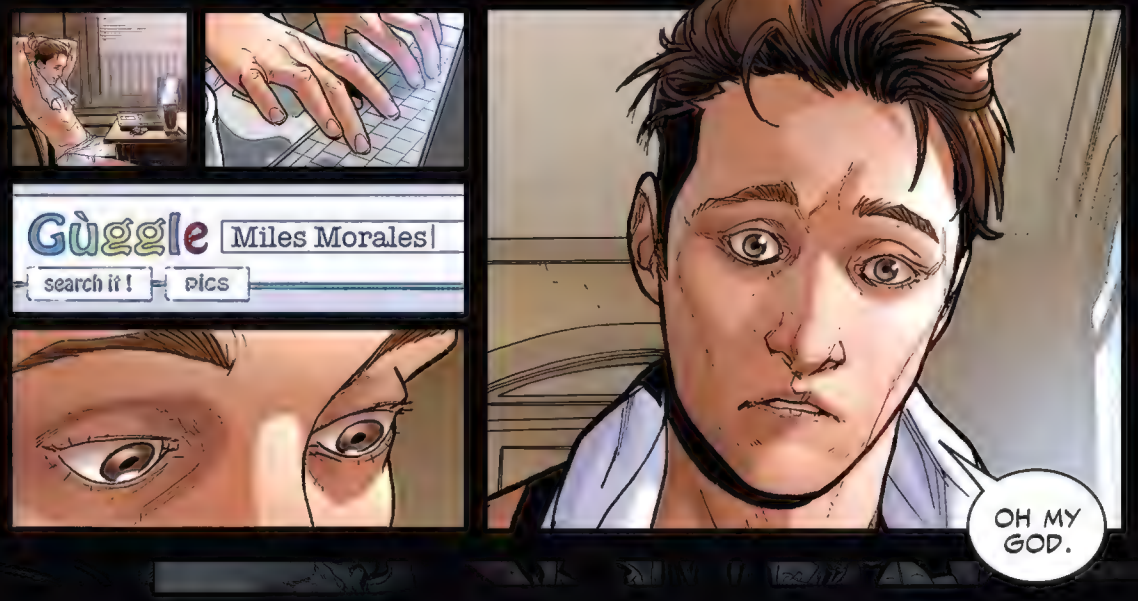
SPIDER-MAN

SPIDER-MEN II

PART THREE

THE SPIDER-MEN FIRST MET WHEN A VILLAIN BROKE THROUGH THE WALL BETWEEN THEIR DIMENSIONS. AT THE TIME, PETER SEARCHED FOR A MILES MORALES IN HIS WORLD, AND WAS SHOCKED TO FIND...NOTHING EXTRAORDINARY. SINCE THEN, MILES AND MANY OF THE PEOPLE HE LOVES HAVE BEEN BROUGHT INTO PETER'S UNIVERSE, WHERE MILES HAS CONTINUED FIGHTING CRIME AS SPIDER-MAN, WITH PETER'S BLESSING.

RECENTLY, PETER AND MILES INVESTIGATED THE REAPPEARANCE OF A DIMENSIONAL RIFT, APPARENTLY CONNECTED TO THE MERCENARY TASKMASTER. HE ESCAPED AFTER A DIFFICULT FIGHT, BUT NOT BEFORE THE YOUNGER SPIDER-MAN OVERHEARD HIM DISCUSSING HIS DEAL WITH A "MILES MORALES." WHAT KIND OF PERSON WORKS WITH MEN LIKE TASKMASTER AND LEAVES NO TRACE OF A PUBLIC RECORD?



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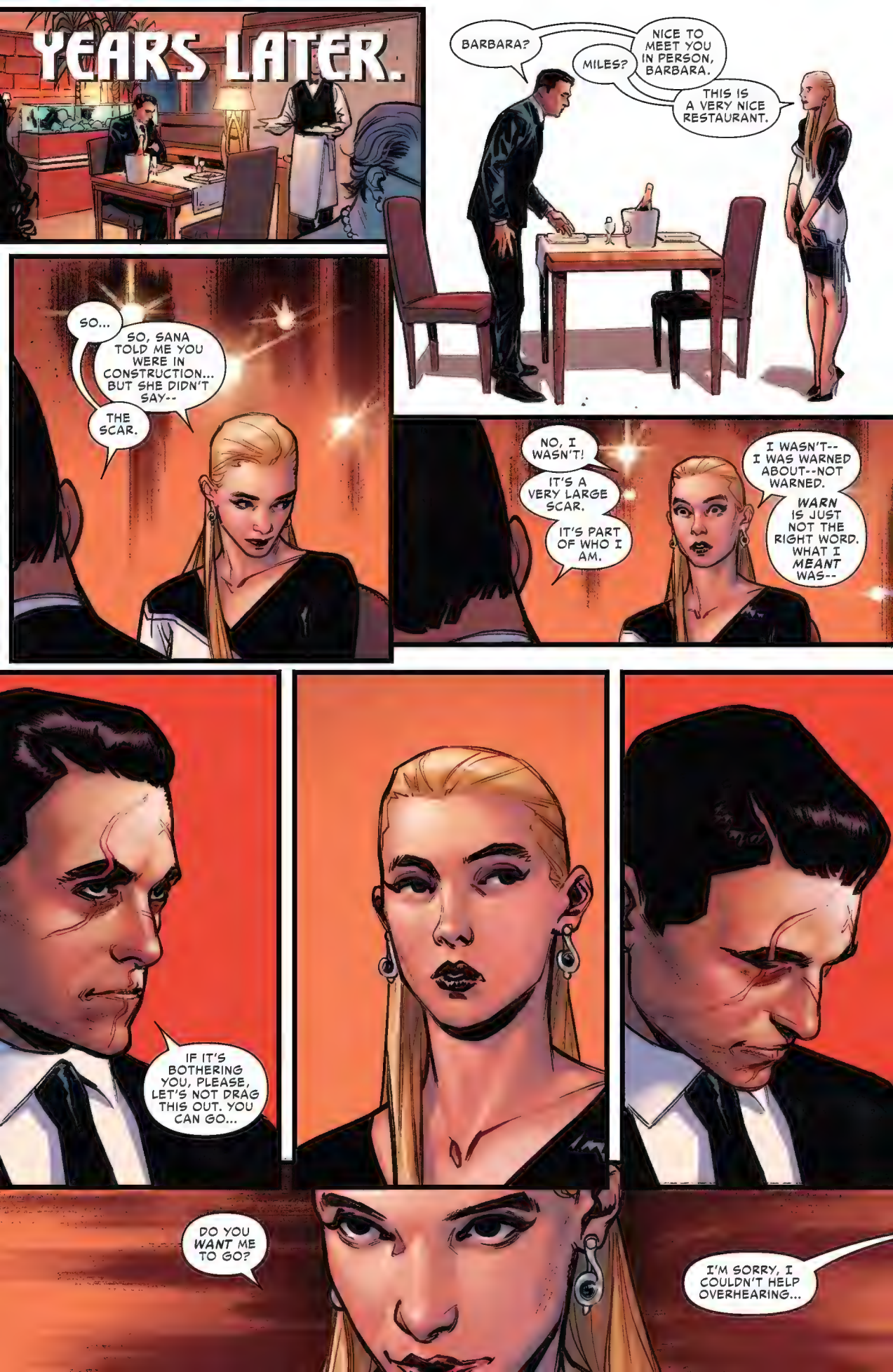
YEARS LATER.
BARBARA?
MILES?
NICE TO MEET YOU IN PERSON, BARBARA.
THIS IS A VERY NICE RESTAURANT.
SO...
SO, SANA TOLD ME YOU WERE IN CONSTRUCTION... BUT SHE DIDN'T SAY--
THE SCAR.
NO, I WASN'T!
IT'S A VERY LARGE SCAR.
IT'S PART OF WHO I AM.
I WASN'T-- I WAS WARNED ABOUT--NOT WARNED.
WARN IS JUST NOT THE RIGHT WORD. WHAT I *MEANT* WAS--
IF IT'S BOTHERING YOU, PLEASE, LET'S NOT DRAG THIS OUT. YOU CAN GO...
DO YOU *WANT* ME TO GO?
I'M SORRY, I COULDN'T HELP OVERHEARING...

I WAS COMING OVER HERE TO SAY HELLO TO MY DEAR FRIEND MILES WHEN I OVERHEARD THAT LAST BIT.
MY NAME IS WILSON FISK.
I AM ONE OF THE OWNERS OF THIS RESTAURANT, ALONG WITH MILES HERE.
WE GOT INTO *THIS* BUSINESS, PARTICULARLY, BECAUSE WE WANTED JUST ONE PLACE *IN THE WORLD* THAT COMPLETELY REPRESENTED OUR PERSONAL TASTE...
...FOR ANYONE ELSE WHO WANTED TO JOIN US.
THIS IS *YOUR* PLACE?
MILES' IDEA. PEOPLE COME HERE AND THEY INSTANTLY KNOW WHAT WE TAKE SERIOUSLY.
WHERE OUR PASSIONS LIE.
ANYWAY, I DON'T NEED TO INTERRUPT AND INTERJECT, BUT I HAPPEN TO KNOW THAT MILES WILL NEVER TELL YOU THAT HE GOT THAT SCAR SAVING MY LIFE.
WILSON...
AND WHEN I LOOK AT THAT FACE, ALL *I* SEE IS THE FACE OF TRUE FRIENDSHIP.
ANYWAY, TRY THE DUCK.
...IS LIKELY WHAT MILES WAS JUST ABOUT TO SAY.
HE DISCOVERED THE CHEF.
WOW.
DID YOU GUYS *PRACTICE* THAT?
I WOULD HAVE PAID MONEY *NOT* TO HAVE HAD THAT HAPPEN.
HE DID THAT BECAUSE...

BECAUSE DATING IS... *HARD* FOR ME NOW.
AND I HATE PITY.
AND I AM FORCED NOW TO MAKE PEOPLE LOOK PAST MY FACE AND INTO ME...
BUT...
...IT DOESN'T MATTER.
WILSON WAS LOOKING OUT FOR ME.
BECAUSE HE KNEW YOU WERE EXCITED ABOUT THE DATE.
YES.
BUT HE WAS *VERY* EXCITED ABOUT THE DATE, TOO.
IT WAS CUTE.
IT'S NICE TO HAVE SUCH LOVE.
I WISH I LOVED HIM ENOUGH TO TELL HIM TO CUT IT OUT WITH THAT SUIT.
IT DIDN'T BOTHER ME.
I'M JUST FEARFUL OF WHAT THIS LOOK HE'S DEVELOPING IS EVENTUALLY GOING TO BECOME...
NEVER MIND THAT.
SANA TOLD ME YOU DID A SEMESTER AT SEA.
I AM VERY JEALOUS.
WHERE DID YOU TWO MEET?
ARE YOU SERIOUS?
I'VE LITERALLY DREAMED OF IT.
WELL, IT WAS PRETTY GREAT.
I KNEW IT.
NOT RUBBING IT IN, JUST CONFIRMING YOUR--
TELL ME.
TELL ME EVERYTHING.
YOU HAVEN'T TRAVELED?
I'VE NEVER LEFT THE BOROUGHS.
OH!
YOU DESIGNED *THIS* RESTAURANT AND YOU'VE NEVER LEFT THE BOROUGHS?
I'M *LEGITIMATELY* EXCITED FOR YOU TO SEE THE WORLD.
A MAN WHO HELPED MAKE *THIS*...
WHERE ARE WE GOING FIRST?
TOO SOON?

WE WASN'T TALKING TO YOU!!! NO ONE WAS TALKING TO YOU!
EVERYONE RELAX.
THERE'S CLEARLY BEEN SOME SORT OF MISUNDERSTANDING.
FISK, CALL OFF YOUR CHIHUAHUA.
IT'S A SIMPLE DIFFERENCE OF BUSINESS MANAGEMENT, DON RIGOLETTO.
I THINK YOU *HAVE* TO PAY YOUR BILLS TO RUN AN EFFECTIVE OPERATION AND YOU CLEARLY HAVE DECIDED OTHERWISE.
YOU'VE BEEN PINCHING AND SKIMMING US FOR SO LONG I BET YOU DON'T EVEN KNOW YOU DO IT.
I'M THE DON OF THIS FAMILY, FISK.
NONE OF *MY* BUSINESS IS ANY OF YOUR FAT-%$&@ BUSINESS.
HE'S TELLING YOU SOMETHING...
...YOU DIDN'T PAY YOUR BILLS, SO WE PAID THEM FOR YOU.

SO IS THIS A "RING KISS" OR A "GOOD BYE"?
RING KISS.
OKAY THEN...
NOT MINE.
HIS.
WELL, THAT IS NOT HAPPENING.
TOLD YA.
IF THIS IS THE NEW FACE OF THE FAMILY THEN IT AIN'T MY FAMILY...
THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU'VE TAUGHT ME.

WOW.
DURING THE CLEANUP, ONE GUY CALLED ME KINGPIN TONIGHT.
I HEARD.
THEY CALL YOU THAT BEHIND YOUR BACK.
IT'S PROBABLY GOING TO STICK.
YOU HATE THIS.
WILSON...
I HAVE EYES.
YOU WANT OUT.
I WANT TO BE WITH BARBARA.
YOU FEEL YOU CAN'T LEAVE.
IT'S FAMILY BUSINESS.
I KNOW THE RULES.
RULES WE DID NOT INVENT... SO WHY ARE *WE* BEHOLDEN TO THEM?
IF YOU COULD HAVE *ANYTHING* YOU WANTED, WHAT WOULD IT BE?
WILSON...
WHAT WOULD IT BE?

TO TAKE MY WINNINGS, AND HER HAND, AND DISAPPEAR FROM THIS WORLD FOREVER.
TO TAKE HER AND JUST... DISAPPEAR.
OKAY.
GO.
YOU DON'T NEED TO BE HERE TO PROFIT FROM WHAT WE'VE BUILT.
IT'S HARDLY FAIR TO YOU...
I WOULD PAY THAT MONEY JUST TO KNOW YOU LIVED HAPPILY EVER AFTER.
BUT WHEN YOU SAY "DISAPPEAR," YOU MEAN FROM THIS WORLD, NOT FROM *THIS*.
NEVER.
I ACTUALLY KNOW SOMEONE WHO CAN MAKE IT LOOK LIKE YOU NEVER WERE.
I WONDER IF YOUR DARLING BARBARA WILL *FINALLY* WARM TO ME AFTER SHE HEARS ABOUT *THIS*...
TO BE CONTINUED...

SPIDER-MEN II

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